

FILED: October 18, 2023

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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No. 23-1890  
(8:23-cv-01380-DLB)

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TAMER MAHMOUD; ENAS BARAKAT; JEFF ROMAN; SVITLANA ROMAN; CHRIS PERSAK; MELISSA PERSAK, in their individual capacities and ex rel. their minor children; KIDS FIRST, an unincorporated association

Plaintiffs - Appellants

v.

MONIFA B. MCKNIGHT; SHEBRA EVANS; LYNNE HARRIS; GRACE RIVERA-OVEN; KARLA SILVESTRE; REBECCA SMONDROWSKI; BRENDA WOLFF; JULIE YANG; MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Defendants - Appellees

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DOUGLAS LAYCOCK, Professor; RICHARD W. GARNETT, Professor; HELEN M. ALVARE, Professor; THOMAS C. BERG, Professor; MICHAEL W. MCCONNELL, Professor; NICHOLAS BROWN; ZEINA EL DEBS; TIMOTHY JANSS; DAGMAR JANSS; STEPHANIE PATE; JEWISH COALITION FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY; COALITION OF VIRTUE; ISLAM AND RELIGIOUS FREEDOM ACTION TEAM; COALITION FOR JEWISH VALUES; COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA AND 17 OTHER STATES; ETHICS AND PUBLIC POLICY CENTER; ERIC DEGROFF, Professor; COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA AND 22 OTHER STATES; ADVANCING AMERICAN FREEDOM, INC.; PAUL TELLER; ALASKA FAMILY COUNCIL; AMERICAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION ACTION; AMERICAN VALUES; CATHOLIC VOTE; CENTER FOR POLITICAL RENEWAL; CHRISTIAN LAW ASSOCIATION; CHRISTIANS ENGAGED; EAGLE FORUM; FRONTLINE POLICY COUNCIL; IDAHO FAMILY POLICY CENTER;

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF EVANGELICAL CHAPLAIN  
ENDORSERS; MISSOURI CENTER-RIGHT COALITION; MINNESOTA  
FAMILY COUNCIL; MOMS FOR LIBERTY; NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF  
PARENTS d/b/a PARENTSUSA; NEW JERSEY FAMILY FOUNDATION;  
NEW MEXICO FAMILY ACTION MOVEMENT; SETTING THINGS RIGHT;  
THE FAMILY FOUNDATION; THE JUSTICE FOUNDATION

Amici Supporting Appellants

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O R D E R

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Advancing American Freedom, Inc., Paul Teller, Alaska Family Council,  
American Family Association Action, American Values, Catholic Vote, Center for  
Political Renewal, Christian Law Association, Christians Engaged, Eagle Forum,  
Frontline Policy Council, Idaho Family Policy Center, International Conference of  
Evangelical Chaplain Endorsers, Missouri Center-Right Coalition, Minnesota  
Family Council, Moms for Liberty, National Association of Parents d/b/a  
ParentsUSA, New Jersey Family Foundation, New Mexico Family Action  
Movement, Setting Things Right, The Family Foundation and the Justice  
Foundation have filed an amicus curiae brief with the consent of the parties.

The court accepts the brief for filing.

For the Court--By Direction

/s/ Nwamaka Anowi, Clerk